

THE REPUBLICANS

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ANGIER AND HAIGHT OUT OF IT.

They Decline to Serve Their Party in This District—Have S. A. Darnell on His Rumored Candidacy.

Mr. Ed A. Angier will not be a republican candidate for congress in the fifth district. He has been spoken of lately as the man upon whom the republicans would most probably unite, and as congressional matters have been the chief topic of talk in Atlanta lately the matter caused some interest among the politicians.

Mr. Angier has been sick for several days and absent from his office, but when he came down yesterday he was called on by a Constitution representative and asked about the rumors of his probable candidacy.

"There is absolutely no foundation for the rumor," he said promptly.

"I am not a candidate for congress on the republican platform and will not be. I am a candidate for no office. I hardly think it probable that the republicans in this district will put out a candidate for congress this year."

When Judge Will Haight, who has also been mentioned in this light, was asked about his position he replied with as prompt an answer as Mr. Angier, and also denied the rumor that he would be a candidate for congress.

As to the Ninth.

The republicans, perhaps, will not formally fuse with the third party in Georgia unless the latter makes a proposition in which a promise of some of the state's electoral votes is given. The republicans would hardly fuse with the third party as a whole, but there is no telling what arrangements could be made between the two if half the electoral votes are offered the republicans.

United States District Attorney S. A. Darnell, a member from this state at large of the republican state central committee, when asked his views concerning the relations of the republicans and third party people in matters of state politics, said:

"I do not know what the policy of the republicans of the state may be with reference to the third party, its candidates, or with reference to any policy or plan looking to the selection of a full republican state ticket. The republican state convention is to be reconvened August 10th, and I have no doubt that at this representative gathering of the party some action will be taken which will put at rest all further inquiry as to what we shall do."

"I am not sufficiently informed to be able to state whether there is any purpose or desire among republicans to have any relation to any third party."

"Republicans standing on a platform expressing their views so clearly may find difficulty in any proposed or organized fusion with the third party, and standing on a platform so incongruous and revolutionary as that of the party to which I refer."

"Personally I am now as I have always been—opposed to any alliance with anything not republican, and I shall not give my personal support to any party or to any scheme, the tendency of which is to put soreheads of any political organization in control of the government, state or national."

"Is there any probability of the republicans of the ninth congressional district fusing with the third party people to beat the democratic nominee for congress?"

"None, whatever, I think. For fifteen years presiding over the republicans of that district, embracing men of as high character and with as much political maneuver as any people in the state, have been cursed by independence and every other phase of dissatisfied democracy, sufficiently to make them understand the importance of party organization and candidates, and their purpose now is as never before to ascertain through leading men, to place before the people of that district a republican candidate for congress, and to contest with both the democratic and third party candidate every inch of the ground. They are not inclined to follow in the procession of a third party, and independent or third party advocates, who tell them that the democratic party is corrupt and wicked, and yet who say they support democratic candidates, and who have always shown a most singular unwillingness to have any relation to the republicans, except when their votes are wanted—under any circumstances, be put on dress parade, but rather keep in the background, and the fighting and not being allowed the poor privilege of being even high privates."

"It has been rumored that you would be urged to make the fusion with the third party of the ninth. What have you to say about it?"

"The rumor is well founded. But, as I am present situated I do not believe I can accept such a responsibility. As you know, I hold an important office under the government, the duties of which are very exacting, and I cannot believe at this time that a proper discharge of such duties would be consistent with the responsibility. It involves time, much hard work, constant devotion of purpose and effort to make a respectable canvass of seventeen counties, nearly all of which are in the regular mountainous region of the state, and much of the territory of which is comparatively remote from railroads."

"I have been urged to run again, but these are my views on the subject at this time."

A REPUBLICAN RATIFICATION.

They Will Hold a Rousing Rurrah Meeting in Atlanta.

Next Monday night in the basement of the courthouse in Atlanta the republicans are to hold a rousing mass meeting. It is for the purpose of enthusiastically ratifying the republican ticket as placed in the arena of national politics by the Minnesota national republican convention.

Speech-making will be the chief item on the programme, with music by a brass band to match it.

The following is a list of speakers that will be given by the committee: S. A. Darnell, W. A. Fiedler, R. D. Locke, C. C. Winbush, R. E. Angier, A. E. Buck, J. R. Lewis, C. O. Fisher and others.

The meeting will be called to order at 8:30 o'clock.

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The sleeper for Chattanooga on No. 12 leaving at 11:15 p. m. will be open and ready for occupancy in the union depot at 9 o'clock.

FAY'S FIRST NIGHT.

"Genevieve" Made a Great Hit with a Fashionable Audience.

Fay, the Fay of days gone, ever young, pretty, shapely, magnetic and captivating, reappeared in Atlanta last night, after a long absence.

A large audience greeted her and gave her a hearty welcome.

"Genevieve" was the opera produced and the reception accorded its initial performance on Delivie's stage left no doubt that the company will draw crowds for any reasonable length of time. It does not behoove one to be captious in a midsummer season, but even were one disposed to be, the Fay Templeton company would disarm him.

The opera has some pleasant, many-pretty solos, a duet of merit and catchy choruses. It is rich in funny scenes which neither the comedy nor low, but between the two. The dialogue provokes almost unintermittent laughter, and with the special features added the performance goes with a dash. The company is a fine one and several of the members are stars in their parts. Then the company is well dressed and the production is striking.

Fay appeared first in a costume which, while it concealed her figure, suggested that she has lost none of her personal attractiveness. She was full of spirit and the audience testified its pleasure in abundant applause. After a little, she entered wearing a costume of deep blue, with a white corsage and a page's costume being hers. She sang at intervals, once in a sweet duet, and repeatedly in solos, always to great applause.

But her real triumph was in the widows' dance that she brought down, the dance, figuratively speaking, and so enthusiastic did the galleries grow that to say it was great would not be far from the truth. This dance, of which so much has been said, once seen, makes clear the sensation it has created. It is a caricature and an exceedingly droll one. Five fine looking women dressed in "widows" sing that the unfamiliar air, "Tara-ra," etc., to the music of a piano. There is more in Miss Templeton's eye glances than in anything else. As for the dancing and the droll caricature of limbs, there is nothing to startle or amuse. In fact, after the discussion which has been going on and exciting expectations, the absence of revelations in this direction may have been disappointing to some. It certainly would be to the censors. Four times the widows were called back and the noise was terrific. Then came the "widows' dance," which was a new thing, and the noise was terrific. Then came the "widows' dance," which was a new thing, and the noise was terrific.

Miss Helen Lamar, who represented Genevieve, is a delightful actress and won much applause. Miss Lillian Clarke, the burlesque of the sporting young man was a clever bit of a work. Miss Les Van-Druck was pretty and is entitled to a commendation. Mr. Peter Dailey and Mr. T. J. Grady, the leading comedians, were exceptionally good. Mr. Blake's sweet song was very much enjoyed. The company stands out pretty girls than have been seen on an Atlanta stage at one time for a long while.

One of the whole the Templeton company made the whole hit and the prediction that it will crowd the opera house at every performance of the state's money. This is given tonight, at the matinee tomorrow and again tomorrow night. On Monday night "The Grand Duchess" will be put on with Mr. O. H. Drew in the cast.

TREASURER HARDEMAN'S LETTER.

If the Governor Don't Like the Bond He Is Ready to Strengthen It.

Governor Northen was out of the city yesterday, having gone to Athens to attend the meeting of the Georgia Agricultural Society.

Treasurer Hardean, on reading the bond sensation, wrote the following letter to the governor:

"To His Excellency, W. J. Northen, Governor of Georgia. Dear Sir: Upon my return to my office I have just read the article in the Journal of the 14th inst. headed 'The Bond' and I have only this to say. The law says I shall give you a bond for the faithful discharge of the duties of my office. I have done, and if you, by reason of the facts mentioned in said article, or for any other cause, think that the money of the state is not safe, I stand ready to give you any additional bonds that may be required by you."

"ROBERT U. HARDEMAN, Treasurer."

AN INTERESTING ANNIVERSARY.

The Marietta Street Mission celebrated its eighth birthday.

The Marietta Street Mission celebrated its eighth anniversary last night. Large crowds gathered in the auditorium of the little chapel, and were delightfully entertained with music and recitations by the children.

Reports of the year's work and a running review of the past year were given by the officers of the mission, and they exhibited a wonderful record of good results.

The mission has accomplished a noble work, and its influence in building up the poor and the local in which it is established cannot be estimated or conceived. The officers inducted in the school of the mission, and the women, who have given it their time and labor, and who are doing a noble work, and they will be duly rewarded for their Christian service.

HE WANTS \$25,000.

W. H. Merritt, Administrator, Is Suing the Richmond and Danville Railroad.

The case of W. H. Merritt, administrator, for Frank Butler, deceased, was commenced in the city court yesterday before Judge Van Epps.

Butler was killed near Anneton, Ala., several months ago, and W. H. Merritt, by order of the court of ordinary, was appointed administrator of the estate of the deceased.

The amount of damages claimed in the suit is \$25,000.

C. H. King, of Anneton, and Porter King, of Atlanta, represent the plaintiff, and Mr. Tom Cobb Jackson is the defendant.

The case will be concluded today.

FUNERAL OF MRS. EATON.

It Will Occur This Morning from St. Luke's Cathedral at 10 o'clock.

The funeral of Mrs. W. G. Eaton, who died in the city night before last, will occur from St. Luke's cathedral this morning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Eaton leaves an interesting family of two girls and three boys, together with an affectionate husband, to mourn her death. Her health for quite a while has been uncertain, and her death, though sudden, was not altogether unexpected.

The interment will occur at Westview.

Governor Northen.

From The Savannah, Ga., News.

The county conventions of the democratic party are so generally adopting resolutions favorable to the building up of a farmer himself, that he will be re-nominated. He has given the state a very good administration. The opposition of some democratic alliance that cropped up shortly after he was inaugurated has disappeared. The people in all parts of the state believe that he is doing all that it is possible for the chief executive of the state to do to promote the welfare of the people.

He is encouraging the public school system, normal schools, farmers' institutes, and, in fact, is doing whatever he believes will improve the intellectual, moral and material condition of the people. He has given a good deal of attention to all matters that tend to benefit farmers. It is but natural that he should take a special interest in their affairs, having been a farmer himself.

Governor Northen has steadily pursued a course calculated to invite immigration and capital to the state. He realizes fully that the best class of immigrants are more likely to go where there are churches, good schools and good roads than where the people are indifferent to those things, and hence, he has steadily striven to build up a public sentiment favorable to them.

Governor Northen will be not only re-nominated, but also re-elected. He is level-headed and conservative, and is not likely to favor any policy that cannot be shown clearly to be for the benefit of the great majority of the people.

TWO OBJECT LESSONS.

The Piano Works and the Brosius Factory Tell a Tale.

EXPERIENCE ATLANTA SHOULD PROFIT BY.

Letter from a Manufacturer to The Constitution-Pettifoggers Holding Up Workmen's Wages Illegally.

Colonel G. W. Adair's card on the treatment of manufacturers has attracted a great deal of attention and is being discussed by business men all over the city. The discussion will rouse the people to the importance of the question and there is every indication that a reaction in favor of manufacturers will set in.

The Piano Works.

The status of the piano works is an object lesson to Atlanta. Here is a fine plant representing a bona fide investment of \$50,000, with a substantial building suited to the purpose and ample machinery to do the business. The factory has been running about five years and the demand for its pianos was greater than the supply. The sales were profitable and there was nothing in the way of success but a little capital. Mr. D. M. Bain, the receiver, says that with \$10,000 of running capital the concern would have weathered the storm about all the money invested was locked up in the plant and there was no capital to do business. The company was hampered by the fact that it was not allowed to sell its pianos at a profit, but at a loss.

There is plenty of capital in Atlanta to take up such things as this and put them on a profitable basis. There is more in the case of a number of people who are stopped and they will probably go away.

The Brosius Machine Company.

Here is another case of the same kind, and a bigger one. The stockholders, mainly Atlanta people, put \$100,000 of good money into this enterprise and lost it. Their capital was absorbed by the plant. A great deal of expensive machinery was bought and the manufacture of a thousand machines was begun. The result was an excellent machine, calculated to be very popular, but the very thing that was almost in sight of the goal, its funds gave out and finally it failed. The lack of running capital handicapped the business and it collapsed. The capital would have carried it through.

A Manufacturer Tells His Experience.

Here is a letter from a manufacturing concern which appears to have suffered a great deal from pettifoggers' suits and onerous taxation. Read what he says:

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THE FLAGMAN WAS BOUNCED.

He Will Not Be So Familiar in the Car.

Bristol, Tenn., July 14.—(Special.)—The flagman of the passenger train between Norfolk and Bristol, Tenn., was bounced by a car on the 14th inst.

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defame the name of a good woman is unworthy of recognition, and I do not write this as a matter of course. I do not stoop to so low a level but to call the attention of the public to this method. I do not produce the last this custody of the public have done in Atlanta. I feel proud of it. It was first called here to aid in the management of the Electric Light and Power Co. by Mr. W. Grady. I was afterwards recalled by the directors of the same institution. I am proud of the fact that it has been the production of King Solomon, although it was not brought here by desire to show the most prominent citizens, all of them the superior of Mr. Laird, selected this attraction and directed me to manage it, and I feel that their selection was the best that could have been made.

As to "Bowers' tricks." It often occurs that when ignorant people try to talk of things which they are not familiar with, they will say "Bowers' tricks." I would say they had made asses of themselves, and in my own mind I am convinced that he has in this case convicted himself.

Mr. Laird, in his article, has seen fit to call attention to the fact that he is a former given at Mr. Delivie's opera house. He is not a former given at Mr. Delivie's opera house. He is not a former given at Mr. Delivie's opera house.

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